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Application of: Zeldis Confirmation No.: 1866

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For: METHODS FOR THE TREATMENT Attorney Docket No: 9516-083-999

AND MANAGEMENT OF MACULAR DEGENERATION USING CYCLOPROPYL-N-{2-[(1S)-

1-(3-ETHOXY-4-

METHOXYPHENYL)-2-

(METHYLSULFONYL)ETHYL]-3-

OXOISOINDOLINE-4-YL}CARBOXAMIDE

AMENDMENT, RESPONSE AND REQUEST FOR CONTINUED EXAMINATION

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Sir:

In response to the final Office Action mailed May 26, 2009 and further to the Notice of Appeal filed November 24, 2009, Applicant submits the following Remarks for the consideration by the Examiner and entry into the record of the above-captioned application. Also submitted herewith is a Request for Continued Examination with the required fee, as well as the fee for a one-month extension of time.

Amendments to the Claims are found in the listing of claims that begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 5 of this paper.